

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Peter B. Dervan et al.

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For: DESIGN, SYNTHESIS AND USE OF  
SPECIFIC POLYAMIDE DNA-BINDING  
LIGANDS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Box New Application  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification:

On page 1, line 10, please insert after "This application": --claims priority to  
PCT/US98/01714 filed January 29, 1998, and--

Respectfully submitted,

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